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This is UNEVALUATED

1. Soil tests at Querfurt airfield were completed by early September 1954. Borings had been conducted in the area north of Landgrafroda/Ziegelroda, where sandstone was found at a depth of about 2.5 meters. On top of the sandstone was sand. Small-scale clearing work was started. 25X1
2. The airfield construction project had the designation Object No. 542 within the VEB Ing Tiefbau Brandenburg. Previously, only preparatory work for the installation of the construction site was done. The consigner was the Soviet construction headquarters in Werder. This headquarters, construction superintendent Stolz (fnu), and calculator Szabo (fnu) of the VEB Ing Tiefbau Brandenburg negotiated about the installation of the construction site on 30 August. After the conference, clearing work was ordered for the establishment of temporary buildings. 25X1
3. In early October, it was determined at the VEB Ing Tiefbau Brandenburg that only preparatory work for the installation of the construction site have previously been done at Querfurt airfield. This work was to be completed by the end of the fourth quarter of 1954. Approximately in late August, carpenters were to be transferred to Querfurt and changed with the establishment of temporary buildings. Stolz (fnu) was mentioned as chief construction superintendent at the site. 25X1

Comment. Since the soil tests in the area of the Querfurt airfield construction site probably had good results, preparations for construction work were started at the site. The transfer from Vietmannsdorf to Querfurt of temporary buildings for construction workers and workshop was reported previously.

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